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In the Application of

Bruce Barger, et al.

Serial No. 10/022,027

Filed: December 13, 2001

Confirmation No. 4900

For SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR

CLEANING AND/OR TREATING

VEHICLES AND THE SURFACES OF OTHER

OBJECTS

Group Art Unit 1746

Examiner S. Carrillo

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 6, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Bruce Barger, et al. Confirmation No. 4900 Serial No.: 10/022,027

Group Art Unit: 1746

Date Filed: December 13, 2001 Examiner: S. Carrillo

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CLEANING AND OR

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